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THE KING SEES HIS SOLDIERS BEAT HIS SAILORS AT RUGBY FOOTBALL.



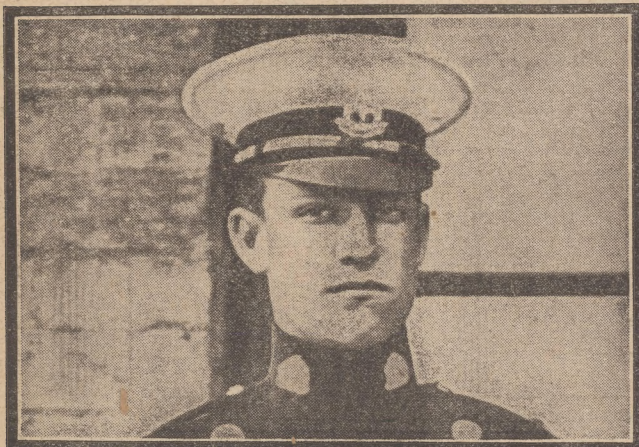
The King and Prince Albert on the ground.

The King shaking hands with one of the players. The members of both fifteens were presented to his Majesty.

Following his usual custom, the King, who takes deep interest in Rugby football, attended the match between the Navy and Army at Queen's Club. There is no keener sportsman than his Majesty, who attends sporting fixtures of all kinds. Since the revival

of the match, the sailors have won six times out of seven, and on paper looked like winning on Saturday. The junior service, however, thanks to their pack, which included five internationals, won by 26 points to 14.—(Daily Mirror photographs.)

BRAVE DEEDS FOR THE EMPIRE: WOUNDED OFFICER CARRIED 500 MILES ON A STRETCHER.



Lieutenant William Lloyd Jones.



Brevet-Major Lionel Joyce Conry.

Two gallant deeds by officers of the British Army, which will make the blood tingle with pride of race, have just been made known. Though badly wounded in a fight with Abyssinians in British East Africa, Lieutenant William Lloyd Jones told his men to leave him and carry the stockade held by the raiders. He has arrived at Nairobi, having

been carried 500 miles on a stretcher. His sufferings were terrible, for there was neither doctor nor anæsthetic, and lockjaw set in. Brevet-Major Lionel Joyce Conry, D.S.O., has been killed in an engagement with Sudan outlaws. He was only promoted a week ago, but met his death before the news could reach him.



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At the Auteuil Races last week the hats were still narrower, with the side turned up very high, and except for some white straw, mostly dark colours—Bottle Green, Tete de Negre, and Black. The week before, a quantity of flowers was worn; this week a return to feathers is noticeable. Waxed wings in dark shades are much in vogue, being worn very much to the front. There were no large hats.



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Ladies' Real Kid GLOVES, in Black, White, and colours. 2 dimes. **1/9.**  
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Ladies' Jovian Co. 11 Choice Fine Suede GLOVES, in Black, White, and Pale shades. 3 buttons. **1/11.**  
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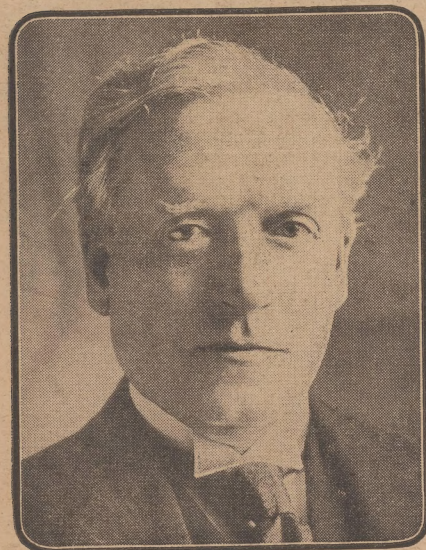
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## ULSTER CRISIS TO-DAY.



Mr. Redmond, who, it is understood, will publicly approve the suggested concessions.



Mr. Asquith. He will speak, it is expected, for less than an hour.



Mr. Bonar Law, whose speech is as eagerly anticipated as the Prime Minister's.

Mr. Asquith's statement in the House of Commons to-day, in which he will unfold the Government's proposals in regard to Ulster, will be of historic importance. He will rise soon after three o'clock. The demand for tickets has not been equalled in recent years. —(Daily Mirror photographs.)

## SUFFRAGETTES ARRESTED AFTER WILD SCENES.



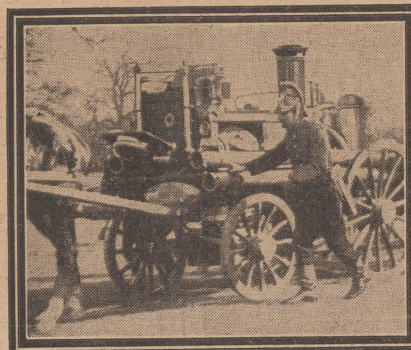
Miss Patterson, who had charge of the suffragette meeting in Trafalgar-square yesterday, after being taken into custody. In the circle is Miss Sylvia Pankhurst, who was neatly captured while on her way to the meeting.

### MR. BALFOUR IN TOURNAMENT.



Mr. A. J. Balfour, who has entered for the Nice international lawn tennis tournament, which opens to-day. He will partner Mr. Wilding.

### YORKSHIRE FIRE COMEDY.



Fireman helps to push Selby's engine. No horse could be found for forty minutes, when one belonging to a dust cart was pressed into service.

### SLASHED TROUSERS' DEBUT.



The threatened "slit" trousers have arrived, and were seen in Hyde Park yesterday. — (Daily Mirror photograph.)



## DAY THAT WILL MAKE HISTORY.

Mr. Asquith's Vital Statement on Ulster's Future.

### VOTING OFFER?

Will Counties Have Opportunity of Ballot?—Referendum Scheme.

(By Our Parliamentary Correspondent.)

To-day is one of the most memorable days in the history of British politics.

To a crowded and expectant House of Commons the Prime Minister will this afternoon announce the Government's eagerly discussed concession to the Unionists of Ulster.

Though Mr. Asquith's statement will deal with many details, the main interest centres in what has become known as the "exclusion plan." What is expected in the hour to be formed circles to happen may be tabulated thus—

#### WHAT THE GOVERNMENT WILL GIVE.

Every Ulster county to be given the opportunity of voting itself out of the operation of the Bill for a limited period—three or five years.

A referendum to be taken by each county on the parliamentary register, the result of which (These concessions will, it is understood, receive Mr. Redmond's public approval.)

#### WHAT UNIONISTS DEMAND.

The minimum demand of the Unionists will be that the whole province of Ulster should be allowed to vote for inclusion or exclusion en bloc, and not by separate counties.

Behind this demand is a strong feeling that no concessions whatever should be accepted, but that every effort should be made to force a general election.

It is generally understood that to-day's momentous proceedings will not occupy much more than a couple of hours.

There are 121 questions on the paper, but most of these may be postponed, thus enabling Mr. Asquith to rise soon after three o'clock.

#### "FULL STEAM AHEAD."

The Prime Minister, it is expected, will speak for less than an hour, and the debate, after Mr. Bonar Law and Mr. Redmond have spoken, will probably be adjourned for a fortnight to enable all parties to think over the proposals and to elicit the considered views of their respective supporters.

If the concessions are not accepted, the Prime Minister will go "full steam ahead" with the Bill as it stands, and, on its rejection for the third time by the House of Lords this session, present it to the King for royal assent under the Parliament Act.

A referendum on exclusion would work out as follows—

FOR EXCLUSION—4.	AGAINST—5.
Antrim, Donegal,	Cavan,
Armagh, Fermanagh,	Monaghan,
Down, Londonderry,	Tyrone,

How the counties voted at the latest elections will be seen from the following figures—

	Unionist.	Nationalist.	Majority.
Antrim	38,682	22,215	U 16,467
Armagh	38,444	6,134	U 32,310
Cavan	3,310	18,482	N 15,172
Donegal	5,123	9,881	N 4,758
Down	12,632	12,922	N 290
Fermanagh	4,500	7,478	N 2,978
Londonderry	25,627	25,627	U 0
Monaghan	3,840	5,976	N 2,136
Tyrone	11,495	11,876	N 381
Total	153,367	94,073	U 59,294

If the Home Rule Bill receives the royal assent in June, as is anticipated in Ministerial circles, it would come into operation in February, 1915. But power is reserved to the Imperial Government to post-date by Order in Council the operation of the Act by seven months.

During this period, it is predicted by Ministers, the general election will be held. (Photographs on page 3.)

### ARMY BILL ACTION?

The rumour is still persistently circulated that the Lords contemplate taking the sensational course of rejecting the Army Annual Bill unless the Government make concessions on Home Rule acceptable to the Unionist Party.

That rejection would involve—  
1.—It would at once extinguish the entire Army.  
2.—It would suspend the Militia Act.  
3.—It would render the payment of either officer or soldier illegal.

The purpose of the Army Annual Act was to prevent a King from keeping a standing Army without the sanction of the Commons.

The Act is accompanied by rules of procedure for its administration and contains the whole military law of Great Britain.

The Army Annual Act automatically comes to an end on April 30.

### TO-DAY'S WEATHER.

Our special weather forecast for to-day is: Strong westerly and easterly winds with much rain and considerable bright intervals; moderate temperature. Lightning—up time: 6.50 p.m. High-water at London Bridge: 11.47 a.m.

LONDON OBSERVATIONS, Holborn-circus, City, 6 p.m.: Barometer, 29.47 in., steady, after a sharp fall; temperature, 54 deg.; wind, S.W. & gale at times; weather, cloudy and mild, with occasional rain.

Sea passages will continue rough.

## HUMAN HEARTS LAID BARE.

Readers Carried Away by "The Daily Mirror's" New Serial.

### TRUTH THAT GRIPS.

*The Daily Mirror's* powerful new serial, "The Story of a Woman's Heart," the most intimate story ever written, has leapt into a popularity which even in these days of newspaper surprises and enterprise gives ground for wonder.

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#### READERS' ENTHUSIASM.

There are two kinds of fiction: the fiction that simulates truth, and the truth that is conveyed in the form of fiction. "The Story of a Woman's Heart" belongs to the latter order.

It is the result of years of study given by one who had exceptional opportunities. The love in it is the real, true thing, not the selfish, egotistic passion sometimes mistaken for it.

The story grips in every paragraph—because it is the truth, and because we know that it might happen to any one of us.

In "The Story of a Woman's Heart" the human interest is sustained in a wonderful and yet perfectly natural fashion. This, again, is because it is all true. We know that this interest is sustained because we have the overwhelming testimony of our readers. People who say that they have practically given up reading serials now frankly confess that they cannot put the present one down.

Letters are coming in from all parts about it, as though a correspondence had been started. These are two of the letters:—

Haywards Heath.

I have not taken the trouble to read a serial for some years. I had no interest in them. Then someone who told me that he had read your serials, and that he had no particular reason, and against my will, I commenced it. Now *The Daily Mirror* has an additional interest for me every day. I frankly admit this for I believe in giving credit where it is due. The story, to use a hackneyed phrase, is really of absorbing interest. It is one of the few great serials that matter. H. E.

#### A BUSINESS GIRL'S VIEW.

A business girl expresses the opinions of a score of other girls:—

Highbury.

I read the preliminary announcements of your new serial without much interest—serials for the most part are usually boring and are so impossible and unhuman.

But, being a woman, my curiosity overcame me: I bought the copy of *The Daily Mirror* containing the first instalment, and since then my opinion of serials has rapidly altered. Somehow the "Story of a Woman's Heart" is so extraordinarily confidential. I buy *The Daily Mirror* every day to read this serial, and I find myself wondering in the midst of my work what is happening now to Elaine and to Miss Edmon. When I read Lettury's instalment of Elaine going back to her old home and seeing her husband through the window I felt my hands twitching to open the door and bring the two together.

It is a serial which is interesting, and the characters in it take a permanent hold on you. As if I were watching a family tragedy instead of reading a serial. I somehow feel a bit "snaky" as if I were prying into the affairs of other people with my interest.

I hope you will publish this in book form, for although it has only just started I feel certain it will be one of the best serials ever written. MABEL SHEPHERD.

Other correspondents cannot apparently wait for the further instalments from day to day, but appear to us to let them know the outcome. This, of course, while flattering to the author is impossible.

We who are in the position of knowing what happens can only say with all sincerity that the interest increases the whole way through, and that to miss even a chapter or two is a very great mistake.

### LOOHPHOLE OF ESCAPE.

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Mr. Bryan, the Secretary of State, has directed the American Consular Agent at Chihuahua to interfere with General Carranza on behalf of General Terrazas, whose son is to be executed unless a ransom of \$50,000 is paid.

The agent will point out that American sympathy and tolerance would be alienated if the threatened execution were to take place.—Reuter.

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Mr. John Cassidy, who has been elected a member of the Royal Society of British Sculptors. He executed the great statue of King Edward for Manchester.

## THE KING AND SPORT.

His Majesty Shakes Hands with Players at Rugby Football Match.

FOOTBALL.—The King went to the annual Rugby match between the Army and Navy at West Kensington on Saturday afternoon.

THE DRAMA.—The King and Queen saw the performance of the *League of Friends* at the Duke of York's on Saturday night.

BOXING.—His Majesty will attend contests at the Albion-street Barracks, Regent's Park, on Monday, March 16.

The King's kindly patronage of the indoor and outdoor amusements of his subjects has been continued during the past week-end.

His Majesty rarely misses the Rugby match between the Army and Navy, which always provides one of the most keenly-contested struggles of the season, and this he saw at the Queen's Club, West Kensington, on Saturday afternoon.

The King was accompanied by Prince Albert. They were conducted to the specially-reserved seats on the stand, and as His Majesty and the young Prince took their places, the band struck up the National Anthem, and the large crowd rose and gave three enthusiastic cheers.

A few seconds later the teams came on the field and were led by their respective captains in single file past the King, who shook hands cordially with each and every player.

The official programme of the arrangements for the tour of the King and Queen in Lancashire at the end of the month was made public on Saturday. The details are:—

Tuesday, March 24.—Their Majesties arrive at Hydon Station and will drive to Knowlsey, where they will be the guests of the Earl of Derby.

Wednesday, March 25.—At Chester, where the King will receive an address from the Corporation and the Mayor. His Majesty will then proceed direct to Port Sunlight, and, after visiting the works and village, they will be accompanied by the Mayor of Chester, Lord Derby, and a tour of the park will be made. Proceeding to the new municipal buildings.

Thursday, March 26.—The King and Queen will motor to Lymm, where they will be the guests of the Earl of Derby.

Friday, March 27.—(Grand National day).—The King and Queen will drive to the races, and, if the weather permits, they will drive round the course.

Their Majesties will return to London on March 28.

Details of the play appear on page 17, and photographs on page 1.

### DOCTOR'S FATAL MISTAKE.

The story of a doctor's fatal mistake, resulting in his own death, was told at Liverpool on Saturday, when a verdict of Death from misadventure was returned at the inquest concerning the death of Dr. O'Sullivan.

Evidence was given that deceased suffered from a weak heart and took sal volatile. On Thursday night he entered his surgery and directly afterwards returned to his room. His wife, noticing a smell of opium, asked him what he had taken, and he replied: "Sal volatile." She said: "I think I smell opium," and he answered: "Oh, have I taken opium by mistake?" Doctors were sent for, but he died next day. Dr. Bailey said that possibly deceased mistook the bottles, which were close together and similar in appearance.

### CROWN PRINCE "NOT HOT-HEADED."

BERLIN, March 7.—Doctor Ernst Meyer, the responsible editor of the Socialist journal *Forwerts*, was to-day sentenced to three months' imprisonment for libelling the Crown Prince.

The libel was contained in an article on the Prince's farewell order to his Danzig hussar regiment, in which the writer represented the Prince as being on the one side of his character grishly sentimental, and on the other side hot-headed and Chauvinistic.—Reuter.

### A THIRSTY LESSON.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

PARIS, March 8.—French temperance advocates have been deeply shocked by a dictation recently given to a class of small boys at a school in the canton of Loir-et-Cher. It was called "The Apertif," and its trend was to recommend this form of drink on every possible occasion.

A visitor who saw the exercise in the copy-book of a boy of ten sent the book to the *Matin*. Among the statements made in the course of it are the following:—

Are you ill? Take apertif; they will cure you. Are you well? Don't fail to drink them; they will keep you in health. The apertif is good in winter, because the weather is cold. In summer, because the weather is hot. It is a good drink at christenings, that the babies may thrive; at funerals, that the dead may rest in peace.

### MR. ROOSEVELT GRANDFATHER.

Mr. Richard Derby (formerly Miss Ethel Roosevelt), who gave birth to a son on Saturday. This is the President's first grandson.

## HOW MISS SYLVIA WAS CAPTURED.

Clever Move by Police—Rioting Near Trafalgar Square.

### THE KING SAYS "NO."

Miss Sylvia Pankhurst, who has been hiding at her lodgings in Bow for some weeks, was neatly captured by the police in the Strand yesterday.

She had announced that she would attend the demonstration in Trafalgar-square and while she was alighting unobtrusively from a motor omnibus in the Strand she was arrested.

They took her right under the eyes of her supporters, and at the corner by Charing Cross Post Office she cried frantically for help, but she was bundled into a taxicab and whisked off to Holloway Gaol. (Photographs on page 3.)

### KNOUTS WITH LEADEN KNOTS.

There were large numbers of police and detectives among the crowd round the plinth, and also in the Strand and neighbouring streets.

The speaking in connection with the demonstration, which was being held under the auspices of the Men's League for Women's Suffrage, had been going on for some time when, about 4 p.m., the sound of a brass band heralded the approach of the procession from Bow.

Closely veiled, Miss Pankhurst had joined the procession, which was headed by a band of boys and young men in cowboy dress, at Aldgate, and passed unrecognised. After walking with them some little distance, she boarded a motor-omnibus and went to Charing Cross.

As she was in the act of stepping off the omnibus she was surrounded by policemen and detectives, and so quickly was the arrest carried out that few of her followers realised what had happened.

When Miss Patterson, who had charge of the meeting, announced that Miss Sylvia had been captured the audience shouted "Cossacks!" and "Murderers!"

Miss Patterson shouted that they should go to Downing-street, and, jumping down from the plinth, and, waving a flag aloft, she made her way in the direction of Whitehall, followed by a large crowd.

The police at once attempted to break up the procession, and some wild scenes were witnessed. Immediately the militants—some of whom were armed with short, stout sticks—attempted to defend themselves, and attacked the police right and left.

Miss Patterson was the first to be arrested, and a man who attempted to defend her fell in the struggle. A constable who took part in the arrest was badly hurt and had to be carried away.

The mounted officers soon broke up the procession, and altogether ten persons were arrested.

At Bow-street Police Station there was a collection of sticks and knotted ropes stated to have been found in the possession of some of the defendants.

Some of the weapons had about two inches of rope attached to them, and the lead was embedded in a "rose knot" at the end of the rope.

### THE KING'S REFUSAL.

Mrs. Pankhurst has received the following letter addressed from the Home Office:—

Madam.—I am directed by the Secretary of State to say that he has received your petition to the King, dated the 25th ultimo, and asking his Majesty to receive a petition, and also a copy of the petition sent on the same day to the Secretary of State.

The Secretary of State has laid your petition before the King, but he regrets that he has not been able to advise his Majesty to comply with the prayer thereof. I am, madam, your obedient servant.

(Signed) EDWARD TROUP.

Mrs. Pankhurst has sent a second letter to the King stating that at a date to be determined later representatives of the Women's Social and Political Union will present themselves at Buckingham Palace.

### NICE BUTLER AND THE FIVE.

The five Ulster suffragettes are still encamped on Sir Edward Carson's shining front doorstep, and a litter of very fine-rate and rif-rallish bags disfigures its once sprick-and-span appearance. As a doorstep it is a blot.

The women are waiting to obtain from Sir Edward a pledge that he will accept no Ulster seatment which is not a fair offer for women.

Those who were left to do duty during the luncheon hour yesterday had a most unfortunate experience. When *The Daily Mirror* saw them they were hanging over the area railings sniffing unappetisingly at the most delicious of the government which were wafted up from the kitchen, Sandwiches are a wretched substitute.

The butler of the house next door to that of Sir Edward Carson went far to tend the waiting suffragettes an umbrella yesterday.

All through the pouring rain of last night the women vainly waited.

Friends of the waiting women bring them hot soup, meat pies and hot-water bottles.

### DUKE'S SALE OF 300,000 ACRES.

The Duke of Sutherland has decided to sell by auction 300,000 acres of his Sutherland estate of £23,400 acres.

The lots, it is understood, will not necessarily be sold in their entirety, but the opportunities will be afforded to acquire moderate parcels of land.

The Duke recently offered Mr. Lloyd George 400,000 acres. Some of the properties he has now decided to offer at auction were, without the salmon rights, included in that offer to the Government.

The properties will be offered in lots in London early in October next.



# THIS MORNING'S GOSSIP



Prince Henry.

## "Enery What?"

An eye-witness of this incident assures me of its truth.

Coming up from Eton recently, Prince Henry, on his arrival at Paddington, hailed a porter to take his luggage to the carriage that was waiting for him.

"Anything in the van, sir?" said the porter.

"Yes," the Prince answered.

"What name will I look for?"

"Henry."

"Enery what?" asked the porter.

"Just Henry," said the Prince. And the porter departed not at all sure that he would find it.

## It Is Forbidden.

On one of the warm spring-like mornings of last week a smartly-dressed man of tall, soldierly figure mounted a Paris motor-omnibus bound for the Halle-aux-Vins. The interior of the vehicle was stuffy, and after a few moments the newcomer rose to lower the small window in the front.

The conductor hailed him sharply. "You mustn't open that window, sir," he said.

"Why not?"

"It is forbidden."

"By whom?"

"By the Chief of Police."

"Oh, very well," said the traveller with a sigh of resignation. He was himself M. Hennion, the Chief of Police.

## The Suffragettes and Sir Edward.

Sir Edward Carson's character is such that I don't suppose he is in any way worried by the attentions which the suffragettes are paying him just now. There is, however, one way in which these ingenious women can worry him if they like. They can write him courteous letters which demand an answer. Now, every letter that demands an answer is a trouble to Sir Edward, for he is utterly unable to dictate a reply.

## A Dictator Who Cannot Dictate.

A friend of mine was telling me over lunch yesterday that one of the most pathetic sights in the world is to see Sir Edward Carson facing a pile of correspondence in the Carlton Club. Every letter has to be answered in his own fair longhand.

## To-day's Grumble.

Mr. Frederick Whelen, president of the Stage Society, has a grievance against the Censor, which he adds to my list of grumbles to-day. He writes:—

"I have just seen Mr. Zangwill's letter about Lent and plays, in which he mentions 'The Showing Up of Blanco Posnet.' I feel very bitterly about this matter, as on two occasions I tried to get this play licensed, but failed. The authorities objected on the grounds that the play was blasphemous."

"As is well known, it deals with the struggle in a man's soul between good and evil, and good is victorious. I may add that the play is given publicly in Ireland, on the Continent and in America, yet is prohibited in London."



Mr. Frederick Whelen.

## An Unexpected Meeting.

I heard yesterday a hitherto unrecorded incident of the royal visit to St. Thomas's Hospital last week.

In one of the corridors stood two well-known actresses, who had come to the hospital to visit a friend. The two were in earnest conversation, and did not notice the approach of a small group of people.

As the group came near them, one of the two stepped back, and in doing so almost touched a lady of the party.

Turning quickly to apologise, as she murmured "I beg your pardon," she recognised the visitor with whom she had so nearly collided, and in great embarrassment, added quickly, "Oh, your Majesty," for it was the Queen.

## Just Nerves.

She then attempted to make a low curtsy, but the corridor was narrow, and she cannoned into the wall behind. Hopelessly embarrassed, in trying to recover her balance she tripped and fell up some stone steps.

It was a terrible demonstration of nerves, and the curtsy eventually achieved was the stiffest, most amateur-like performance. Yet she who performed it is one of the most graceful, self-possessed and dignified of women when she appears, as she does, each evening before huge audiences on the stage.

## Mr. Lansbury.

So Tom-Mann has sailed away and left Mr. George Lansbury to share with Mr. Tillett the task of keeping "The Red Flag" flying in England.



Mr. George Lansbury.

Mr. Lansbury is a strange contrast to his colleagues, Messrs. Tillett and Mann. He has none of Mr. Tillett's poetic personality and artistic sympathies. But he is very religious. Mr. Lansbury was "converted" at a Church mission service in the East End of London.

## Refuses to Surrender.

There is a great French actress—it would be tactless perhaps to specify which—who is not taking kindly to advancing years. Soon, she realises, she will have to abandon juvenile parts and play the role of matron. But she has not surrendered to age yet.

Recently an author read to her a new play in which were two important women's parts, one of a young girl, the other of a grandmother.

When he had finished the great actress smiled and said: "The role you have indicated for me is charming, but who will play the grandmother?"

## The Decline of the Shoeblack.

I had a long chat on Saturday with a shoeblack in the West End of London. He gave me to understand that the shoeblack business was generally going to the dogs.

The earnings of the average street shoeblack have declined 50 per cent. in recent years.

My shoeblack friend ascribes the decline and fall of his profession to the many new patent boot polishes now on the market.

## The King and Football.

The King's fondness for Rugby football is causing a little heartburning in official Association circles. Three members of the Football Association have expressed to me a very keen desire that his Majesty should witness a really first-class Association match.

Now that the Amateur Football Association and the F.A. have healed their differences, we all hope to see that grand old annual charity match between the Corinthians and a professional team revived.

## "First Edition" Tickets.

My note on "first edition" railway tickets is bringing me letters from "collectors" all over the country. One reached me on Saturday from Dorsetshire. My correspondent writes:—

"A few years ago I received at a Glasgow station a first-class ticket bearing the initial number '000,' indicating the first of that series sold. Nearly twelve months later, on purchasing a similar ticket at the same station, I received the succeeding one, viz., '0001.'"

## Why They Begin at 0.

On the same subject, a Leamington correspondent writes:—"The late Right Hon. James Stuart relates in his 'Reminiscences' that his father and himself in 1864, travelling from Inverness to Perth, got tickets 000 and 001."

"He adds that he was informed by the station-master that the numbers were started at 0 on railway tickets, so that when the lowest one was pulled out it should give, without any subtraction, the number of tickets sold."

## A Chicago Romance.

Here is a little Chicago romance I cull from the American papers. Oliver Peterson, a susceptible young American, while eating his breakfast a few weeks ago caught sight in his morning paper of this picture of Erma Stevens attending a Valentine party at the local Young Women's Christian Association.

For some reason the paper leaves unexplained, the fair lady was attired in male costume. Oliver fell in love instantly, rushed to a telephone and proposed, and before he had completed his avowal of love the lady hung up the receiver.



Mrs. Erma Stevens.

## More Admirers.

Next day Oliver wrote his confession of adoration in a letter, but received no answer. On the following day he called and repeated his proposal in person.

Then he learnt, as well as the fact that the fair Erma wouldn't have him, that several other young men of Chicago had been similarly smitten—in fact, the lady had been so bombarded with proposals and attentions that she had to refuse to see male callers, all of whom seemed fascinated by her dimpled cheeks—also that Erma had once before been married—and was satisfied that single life was the better.

Now Chicago is awaiting anxiously to see if Erma will surrender to any one of her devoted admirers.

## \$2,000 an Hour.

Mr. John D. Rockefeller, the "oil king," must be the wealthiest man in the world, for I read that the American income-tax officials have assessed his income at £20,000 a year, or a trifle more than £2,000 an hour.

I once interviewed Mr. Rockefeller at Plymouth; or, rather, tried to interview him. He had arrived on a New York liner, en route for the Continent. I found him aboard the ship. He was a tall man with an extraordinarily pallid face and an ill-fitting wig. The sun was shining, and the harbour made an unusually charming picture.

## The Bullion Fascinated Him.

A cruiser had just been launched at Devonport; a torpedo-boat flotilla was busy manoeuvring behind the liner.

But this did not appeal to the American man of many millions. He was leaning over the liner's rail, watching the stewards toboggan silver bullion down a chute on to the tender's deck!

## What a Mercy!

Here is a good story from *Printers' Ink*:—"The returning Scot was met by his wife, who asked what luck had attended his fishing."

"Only so-so, woman," was the reply. "I caught just seven fish, and I find on counting up my expenses they cost me just seven shillings apiece." "Heavens," cried his thrifty wife. "What a mercy you didn't catch mair!"

## London and the Negro.

London is rapidly getting its own negro problem: there are more American coloured men living in the West of London now than ever before.

There is a certain house not miles away from Shaftesbury-avenue that is a rendezvous for these men. You may see extraordinary scenes there any day or night of the week that will make you pause and wonder whether America's attitude towards the negro is at all unjustified.

## The Black Braves.

The best of the negroes in London are pugilists. The worst are men of the lowest character. And it is remarkable to notice the fascination which the coloured men seem to exercise over the imaginations of some white women.

## Cabinet Minister at Pantomime.

In spite of the political crisis, Mr. Herbert Samuel contrived to spend a happy Saturday evening.

With Mrs. Samuel and his young family the President of the Local Government Board went to the last performance of "The Sleeping Beauty Reawakened" at Drury Lane, the party occupying seats in the front row of the grand circle. Mr. Samuel heartily applauded the performance. Mr. Samuel's brother, Sir Stuart Samuel, was also in the audience, and from the stalls signalled greetings to his relatives upstairs.

THE RAMBLER.



Mr. Herbert Samuel.

## WHY WORK IS A BORE.

Too Much Luncheon Responsible for Shy Feeling When You See the Desk.

I eat well, I drink well, I sleep well, but when anyone mentions the word WORK I come all over in a tremble. —Edmund Payne, in "The Orchard."

Does the average man eat too much luncheon daily at the restaurants?

A City man visited a doctor the other day and complained that he felt dull and sluggish every afternoon after luncheon.

The medical man listened patiently to the recital of the symptoms, and sharply said: "What do you eat for luncheon?"

"Oh, not much," the patient answered. "I rarely have more than a plate of soup, a cut from the joint, pudding, cheese and coffee." The doctor replied:—

"There is nothing the matter with you except too much luncheon. Reduce the quantity you eat and utilize the time saved by taking a brisk walk."

The *Daily Mirror* questioned a number of City men about their luncheons.

One City merchant, who had cut down his luncheon on his doctor's advice to a plate of soup with bread and butter, and took a walk, said:—

"The first week of abstinence made me very uncomfortable. I felt hungry."

"However, I soon found the hunger pangs disappear, and I felt all the brighter upon my return to my desk for the afternoon's work."

## BOGUS PRINCE'S JOY-DAY

Two Young Men Who Hoaxed Hendon Airman—Lunch with Peeresses.

Who are the "Crown Prince of Wurttemberg" and his private secretary "Lord Stanton Hope," who successfully hoaxed several well-known people in society?

The fictitious "Crown Prince of Wurttemberg" and "Lord Stanton Hope"—there are no such persons really—first came into the picture as the Prince and "Lord Hope" at Hendon. Here "Lord Hope," claiming former acquaintanceship with Mr. Grahame White, introduced his "royal master," and ultimately secured for the latter a long free flight.

Before they left the aerodrome they had secured quite a number of invitations to lunch and dinner, and "Lord Hope" lunched, *The Daily Mirror* understands, with certain well-known peeresses one day and even saw one of them off to Ireland.

Mr. Grahame White told *The Daily Mirror* yesterday that owing to the many distinguished people who frequently visited the aerodrome it was not at all a difficult matter to practise the imposition.

"The secretary of the Prince," one of the peeresses who was victimised told *The Daily Mirror* yesterday, "was the spokesman for the pair."

"He was quite polished, had a wonderful air of assurance and spoke English quite well. (Photographs on pages 10 and 11.)"

## HOTEL FOR CHILDREN.

Little Guests Who Have Toys in Lounge and Donkey in Orchard.

A country hotel, where toys are provided in the lounge, has been opened exclusively for children at Bramley, a picturesque part of Surrey.

This hotel, known as Vanhurst, caters for the children of parents who are temporarily unable to give them the necessary attention at home.

The ages of the little paying guests resident at the hotel range from a few days to eight years, and there is a staff of nurses and governesses in attendance to cope with the youngsters' demands.

Miss D. Simmons, the principal of the hotel, is an advocate of open-air life, and meals, lessons and recreation are, weather permitting, provided on the lawns or in a large orchard.

The hotel pets include an obliging donkey, some guinea-pigs, pigeons and cats. Occasionally, too, a friendly cow wanders into the grounds from an adjoining field.

In the mornings the elder children consent to be entertained by a governess, who sometimes introduces a calf or lamb to the open-air school circle, while the babies lounge at their ease, all in a row, on comfortable stretchers, taking a fresh-air course.

Toys are provided in the hotel lounge, but many of the children who have a taste for sport prefer to put Ned, the donkey, through his paces in the grounds. (Photographs on page 10.)

## BIRD-CAGE EARRINGS.

Craze for Gipsy Jewellery of Quaint Designs—Stuart Ring Vogue.

Gipsy fashions in necklaces, beads and jewellery have brought into favour the gipsy earring.

Many women can be seen in Bond-street and the fashionable parts of London wearing very long and substantial earrings, such as have not been in vogue for many years.

Not only are some of these earrings two or three inches long, but they are of considerable width and are made in some cases of very curious designs.

A West End jeweller, who deals in antique jewellery, told *The Daily Mirror* that the antique Spanish earring is greatly in demand at present. One curious specimen that had just been purchased was designed to represent little birds in cages—the cages being of gold and the birds of enamel. It cost £50.

"We have earrings from £2 to £50 a pair," he said, "and the quainter their design the more quickly they sell."

A specially interesting pair of earrings seen in *The Daily Mirror* had two little enamel swans set in a long jewelled dropper.

The English cameo of Wedgwood character is also being used for long drop earrings. In this form it looks well with the cameo brooches and bracelets that are now very popular.

There is a fashion also for old rings, *The Daily Mirror* was told, particularly of the Stuart period.



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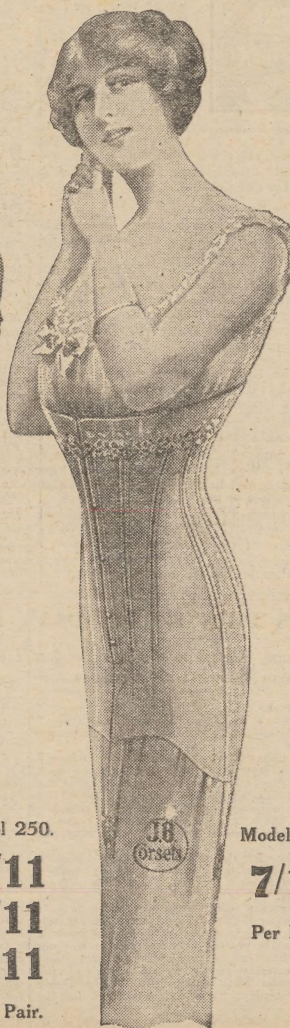
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## WHAT THE FIRST CHAPTERS TELL.

**ELAINE CASSIUS**, the bride of twenty-three, who tells the story, opens with a wonderful picture of the love and devotion that fill a woman's heart in the first year of her marriage. The honeymoon is a time of happiness, the return to their little home in a London suburb like entering a paradise. For months it is a joy to be the bond slave of handmaids.

**ROBERT CASSIUS**, her husband, who goes daily to business in the City, is a brilliant barrister.

**PETER ROSS**, a brilliant barrister, whom Robert brings to dinner, delighted in spite of his ugliness. Then, just when Elaine's happiness is at its height, a shattering blow falls upon her. She awaits Robert one evening with great tidings. She is to become a mother. But instead of her husband comes a telegram saying he has been summoned on urgent business to Scotland. A letter, marked "Immediate," comes for her next day, and she opens it. It is written with passionate protests of love. At first she thinks it must be a horrible, a monstrous mistake. But she finds three words in the same handwriting, all addressed to him at their home, and she is driven to the conclusion that the paradise she has been living in is a fool's paradise. When the first shock is over, she seeks out the writer.

**MISS ESBRON**, a woman five or six years older than herself, and less good-looking, though prettier. Her home is luxuriously furnished. Miss Esbron refuses to tell why she wrote the letters. There is nothing to explain, she declares.

Elaine returns home in despair. Robert will be back that evening. To her husband, Miss Esbron calls just before he is due. Elaine runs up to her room to get the letters, determined to confront Robert and the woman with them. Robert, entering, understands, finds her there. She repeats him, "What do you want?" Elaine replies, "Go to the woman who wrote that and that and that, and she will tell you the truth. She is sitting on the dressing-table before him, and she leads him to a bedchamber, and she tells him that she is his wife, and she tells him that she is his wife, and she tells him that she is his wife."

As she throws open the door she shrieks back in horror. Miss Esbron is there, and she is looking at Elaine, her hands tightly clenched, her lips blue. Those who have read "The Daily Mirror" leaflet containing the first instalment should begin here.

Miss Esbron is not dead, as they at first thought. But so terrible to Elaine is the picture of her husband bending tenderly over the stricken woman that she refuses to help him in bringing her round. Robert starts aghast at her with a wild question in his eyes.

"Elaine, what has happened?" he demands while they are awaiting the arrival of the doctor. "Ask your friend," she replies, thrusting him aside and leaving the room.

Robert comes to her after the arrival of the doctor and demands, "What have you done?" "It is, rather, what have you done," she says, pointing to the letters. Robert tells her that Miss Esbron is recovered, but he has not yet returned. She should stay overnight in the house. "If that woman stays, I go!" replies Elaine. Robert looks puzzled and dazed, but finally declares that Miss Esbron must stay. Elaine leaves her home, her last glimpse of her husband showing him kneeling with every appearance of tenderness and solicitude beside the couch on which Miss Esbron lay. For a fortnight she lives alone with her misery in the room in Lambeth. Then she decides that Robert must be told of the child to come. She goes to his office, passionately hoping that by some miracle everything might be put straight. But when she reaches his office in the City, she is told that he has left. He has given up his business, miss, and he and Mrs. Cassius have moved abroad last week.

Bereft of her last hope, Elaine returns to her humble lodging. Robert, her husband, had gone abroad with Miss Esbron, but Miss Esbron was being called "Mrs. Cassius."

Days pass before she can bring herself to seek the aid of Peter Ross, but he can only bid her "hope for the best." Elaine's little home is to be sold up, and that night she is impelled to take a last glimpse at the place where she had her brief spell of radiant happiness.

She arrives at the house, enters the garden and is arrested by a pencil in the light of the moon. Someone was in the house. Was it a burglar? In dread she crosses to the window and, peering through a chink left by the too narrow blind, Elaine beholds her husband! He is haggard and

wearily as he stands there in the drawing-room, his gaze directed to the desk in a corner. He is as one fascinated by a serpent. Suddenly he walks resolutely to the desk, and from a drawer takes out a revolver.

Elaine, helpless and distraught, sees her husband plunge the bullet into Robert's breast.

Elaine is about to beat on the window, when Miss Esbron enters the room, and Robert slips the revolver into his coat pocket. Elaine overhears a passionate outburst, which Agatha Esbron protests her love for Robert. "Your wife left you the moment she knew you had lost your money," cries Miss Esbron. But Robert will hear nothing against his wife. "I shall find my wife," he says. "She'll come back to me." Elaine's bruised heart rejoices—her husband loves her still.

Miss Esbron is able to have Robert arrested owing to a technical breach of the law regarding money she lent him to put into his business. She threatens to have a warrant issued unless Robert will renounce his wife for her. Robert refuses point blank, when Miss Esbron gives him until the next day to decide.

Elaine, still peering through the chink in the blinds, sees her rival depart and her husband, with a cry of anguish, sink into a chair before the desk.

## "AT LAST I ENTER THE ROOM."

AT the very moment that Robert's bowed head went into his hands, when his whole figure seemed bent and bowed down with the weight of tragedy, I noiselessly thrust open the French window, and stepped within the room.

There was scarcely two yards between us now. For acon and acon I had seemed, as it were, to have been barred out of life, to have been barred from everything that made life worth living, and now again I was stretching out my hands, as it were, eagerly, tenderly, fearfully. I was stretching out my hands towards hope, and the most glorious happiness in the world. But in those moments it was not of myself that I thought, but of Robert—my Robert. For he was mine! Had he not scarcely five minutes ago made his choice?

And suffered, my Robert, to be driven harrowed, and my whole soul crushed and bruised. But I was a woman, and somehow we women carry suffering differently from men. Perhaps through the long ages of the world we have had to bear more of it—I had suffered, but Robert's sufferings must have been beyond anything I could compute. He was no coward, my Robert, and for him to be driven to the very verge of death, how much he must have suffered!

He did not hear my soft footfall nor the beating of my heart that cried out to him. His fine head was still bowed in his hands; he was broken, broken and bowed in the fight of life! And when my hands at length went lightly—softly—alighting on his shoulders he did not start. The intense silence of the room was broken by no ejaculation. He merely raised his head slowly from his hands and looked at me. And in a whisper I breathed his name:

"Robert," I said.

Then I saw his eyes widen in amazement, and his lips move, and gradually he rose from his seat, turning and looking at me all the time.

His face to face with mine, each looking deep into the other's eyes. But he was not aware of the present as I was, he could not hear the wild, glorious drumming of my heart, nor could he see the mist that filled my eyes.

He put his hand to his brow, and smooth back the hair that was so silky to the touch. Then at last words let his lips—vague words uttered in a halting whisper.

"You've come back?"

That was all. It was so banal, so different from what I might have expected. Slowly I put forth my hands towards him, and slowly he drew away a little. And his head shook, he uttered no words, but the light had begun again to return to his eyes. He was searching my face now—reading the answer to his question while there had been scarcely a sound in the room.

Suddenly, as it were, he wrenched his gaze from my face, and strode away to the hearth. Dark shadows were passing through his mind, he was fighting—fighting with himself. His head was bent and now and then he looked at me sideways, and now and then his fingers worked.

"Give it to me!" I said slowly and distinctly. "Then for the first time he uttered a sentence. 'Why did you come back? Why come back now?'"

I went to him, and he made no further effort to break free from me. I went to him, laid my hands on his shoulder and looked up into his face.

"I saw everything," you never wanted me before you want me now!"

He stared at me a long time, and he put me slowly from him, and I held out my hands, pointing to the pocket of his coat.

And very slowly he put his hand into his pocket and drew out the revolver that had always been a thing of terror to me from the day when he bought it.

The weight of the thing, its cold, smooth contact sent an icy thrill through my veins! It was a thing of dread and hate and horror to me! It had menaced the life of the man I loved. Only, as it were, by a hair's breadth had he escaped death at its hands. As it lay in my palm, in all its heavy black ugliness, it became a thing of life to me, and with a wild, unconscious gesture I flung it away! I knew nothing of its terrors, other than the terror it had wrought in Robert—to Robert—I had looked carelessly away, and saw it slide and lie unheeded, a black stain upon the cream and rose colour of my carpet.

Then I turned to Robert again. "I saw everything," from the beginning," I said in answer to the question in his eyes.

"You saw?" "Everything," I answered him, "from the moment when you took that thing from my hand, and the moment when Miss Esbron went away."

I saw him draw himself up and his figure stiffen. "And you heard everything?" "I heard," I whispered, "I was thinking how near—how magically near—I had been to losing him."

"Robert," my husband, with all the love of my life in my eyes. "Robert, that would have been a coward's way out! Didn't you think of me, Robert? Didn't you think how cruel, cruel, cruel that would have been to me, Robert?"

He nodded his head. I wondered at him a little—he seemed so dazed, so slow to get his bearings. I knew now in those first moments after I stepped into the room, he scarcely comprehended it was I there. He had stood upon the brink of death, and when he turned and looked back at life again, and felt the touch of my hand upon his shoulder and saw my face looking up into his, he could not help but feel that way.

I understood him, and patiently I waited. At last he began to speak.

"It would have been a coward's way out, Elaine, I know it. But I thought it was the only way out, and I don't know anything else, you don't know all that there is to it. You heard what Miss Esbron said, but that isn't everything."

As the words fell slowly and dejectedly from his lips, I felt a sharp, painful leap through my heart. I did not know all! What else was there to know? It was my turn to falter now.

"You don't mean 'I began and hesitated'—you—you still love me, Robert?"

"You—you still love me, Robert?" "I love you," he repeated the words his voice seemed to ring through the room; then, with a supreme effort, he seemed to throw aside every other preoccupation. There was a moment of in-

tense illumination, when all darkness and sorrow seemed to leave him. He stood erect, handsome, glorious in his youth and vigour. "Love you?" he echoed again. "You ask me if I love you? My God, Elaine, if you only knew how much! If you only knew what these last weeks have been to me without you! I feel I can't say any word to picture it! The whole world seemed to come up-telling down about my ears! My business went to pieces, everything failed with me—my enemies gathered round and struck at me. And to-night you saw what Miss Esbron did—you know what she intends to do! I could have stood all this, Elaine, and a hundred times more! But when I thought I had lost you—when I thought you had gone out of your life and that I should never see you again. I went mad!"

He put out his strong hands towards me as he spoke, and there was homage in his eyes. I had grown weak—I felt so pitifully little and feeble. It was strange in this moment of my greatest glory, that I should become just a poor, weak, frail, piteous figure.

A tear touched each of my cheeks—my hands trembled out before me, then I pressed them to his heart. I whispered, "I will hold me close, close, close. And I clung to him as if never again could I let him go.

## "HELL HATH NO FURY LIKE A WOMAN SCORNED."

IN the talk that followed the minutes seemed to fly. There was so much to say—so many eager breathless questions to answer for both of us.

We were seated side by side on my chintz-covered Chesterfield, and as my eyes travelled to the familiar loved objects in the room I could have thought that nothing had happened, that the breath of tragedy had never brushed us, and the golden days beginning with our marriage subsisted still, and had subsisted from the beginning without interruption of any kind.

Nevertheless the great sense of feeling that had swept over Robert during the past months and the anguish I had suffered had altered us imperceptibly. We seemed each to possess a fuller, deeper knowledge of life—and with this knowledge came a greater sympathy and tenderness for all who suffered.

I told Robert in minutest detail all that happened to me, from the moment I went frantically from the house leaving him and Miss Esbron together. I confessed everything—my feelings of despair, my wild jealousy, my hatred of Miss Esbron, and of all men.

And Robert on his part recounted all that had happened to him. How he had hurried from the house, and searched for consolation in the night of my departure. I felt my heart leap with exultation as he told me this. But as he went on to recount the history of his association with Miss Esbron I drank in every word he uttered with greedy avidity.

"I met her six or eight years ago, Elaine," he said, "when she came as a typist to my office. I was just starting then, and two years later she inherited a sum of money, and she paid me, and she told me 'It's rather awkward to say it, Elaine, but she had evidently taken a fancy to me. I thought I cared for her, and we became engaged. Then she forced me to put her money in the business—when this was done, my salary and her things were pretty bad, but unfortunately I never put it in writing, and that is what puts me in her power. As a matter of fact, I wrote her a letter at her request saying the business was solvent, and she wanted to see me. I went, and we were engaged," Robert went on, "and one day in a fit of jealousy—she was always flying into rages and fits of jealousy—one day in a fit of jealousy she broke it off. I was so secret, so reserved, though I could not say so, and for six months I did not see her. Then she began to pester me again. She wanted to renew the engagement, and she began to write me letters. You see," he went on, "until I could

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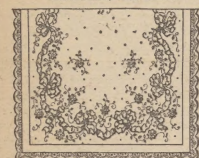


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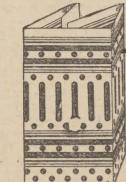
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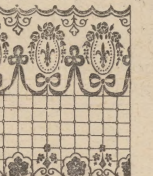
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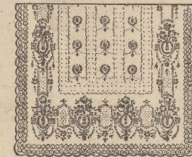
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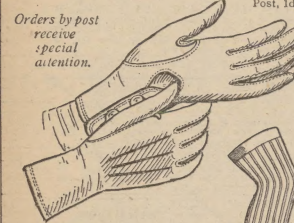
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## READING AND WALKING.

THESE are those who are known amongst their friends and enemies as the Jonahs of the week-end: the unlucky persons, we mean, who make it rain whenever they spend Saturday to Monday out of town.

We confess to being of the persuasion of Jonah in this matter: whenever we go away—rain. Indeed, we have known the morning to be fine, when we had not thought of a week-end; and, seeing it fine, we have planned to go away; and, seeing us planning, the weather has at once clouded over, so that, before nightfall, it was the same old week-end weather—rain.

In accordance with this destiny, we found ourselves lately in a country house with a good many people staying there, and the rain, as usual, steadily, softly falling on to the lawn beyond the streaming windows.

"What shocking weather," said somebody, "no golf."

"It's scarcely worth coming away when there's no shooting," said somebody else.

"Billiards?" said the first person.

A general move was made to the billiard-room.

Meanwhile, depressed women had gathered to discuss clothes, or to play poker or bridge.

It illustrated the decline of reading. Yards and yards of books lined these walls, nicely fitted into apparently unopenable cases. What a day for books!—a grey day, drowning physical activities in the great liquidity of its splash, splash on the paths. How pleasant not to do anything! No golf. Books instead. But nobody reads in this house. Instead, here is somebody we know well who holds that public life should be "cleaner" than it is—somebody who is going to convince us, over an entire morning's talk, that he would make public life cleaner if he could. And he can. He will, if you don't look out. You saw his first article in the "Greater Britain Review"? That settles it. No reading this morning.

A wet week-end in a country house exhibits the decline of reading.

And what does a fine week-end exhibit?

We have seldom experienced one; but we know what we should find. We should find the decay of walking.

We have all got into the habit of hitting balls, killing birds, or driving motor-cars along roads. Nothing we see in nature that is ours, except these unnatural occupations. You like walking in the country? Rural rides, rural walks, Richard Jeffries, Cobbett, Young, Hazlitt, Trevelyan? You say "Yes, of course!"—you think you like walking. That is a joke. What you really mean is that you like hitting balls about, or killing birds.

And these tastes are duly transforming—have indeed transformed—the countryside. Rare walkers, extinct or dying pedestrians, as they used to call them, have not got out of the range of the guns, before they get into the range of the golf balls. Here is a charming piece of cliff scenery, but "Fore!" roars some elderly dizzard in a red coat who ought to know better. It's no use. Better stick to the road. But we forgot. The road is a railway for motor-cars. There's no room in this world for pedestrians.

W. M.

## THROUGH "THE MIRROR."

### THE LOSING HABIT.

THE losing habit and its kindred evils, such as neglecting correspondence or appointments, coupled with an absolute lack of promptitude, are simply the results of lack of organisation. Many people try to run their lives on the lines of an army without a general, and make the inevitable failure. A little more system, mental concentration, and quiet organisation would do wonders with most people.

SYSTEM.

I WAS greatly interested in "W. M.'s" excellent article on losing umbrellas. I am most unlucky, or perhaps careless, in this way, and have lost numerous articles at different times, and, except in one instance, never been fortunate enough to get them back. This week, however, I lost my

### HOW HE PROPOSED.

MY mother was working at a woollen article for a bazaar. "He" asked her what she was making.

"A comforter," she replied.

"That is exactly what I want," he answered. "Oh! I shall be most happy to make you one," she innocently rejoined.

And she did!

M. W.

THERE was no question of a "balance-sheet" in my case. We were standing on a little hill under some trees, just as the sun was setting. There was a pause in our conversation, and a strange premonition came over me. I felt his arm close round me, and heard a low voice in my ear, "How many more such sunsets must we see

### EFFECT OF A VISIT TO PARIS UPON OUR CITY DIGNITARIES.



The Lord Mayor and Sheriffs are going to visit Paris this season. Will they adapt themselves to Parisian manners, as a means of flattering our neighbours, and return utterly changed in their demeanour?—(By Mr. W. K. Haselden.)

purse containing money, and for the first time my loss was discovered by a gentleman—whom I have obvious reasons to admire. He handed it into the nearest police station.

I wonder what the majority of us would do in similar circumstances? I have never yet found anything of any value, but I rather think that if I did and was unable immediately to restore it to the owner, I should be tempted to keep it in compensation for things I have lost.

W. R. R.

### FEMALE TYRANNY.

GIRL, applying for situation in drapery establishment: "Is your head buyer a man or a woman?"

Reply: "A woman."

Girl: "Then I'd rather not come."

This brief conversation (I was recently informed by one of our leading drapers) is quite a customary one; and it is a fact that ninety-nine girls out of 100 would rather work for a man than a woman.

No wonder, then, that all assertions to the contrary made by women who have never done a stroke of work in their lives fall flat.

MILLIE FROST.

before—Oh, you know what I mean, dearest." I turned my head and smiled into his face, and then his shoulder hid my blushes.

TABITHA.

### MARCH MONTH.

Early in spring time, on raw and windy mornings, Beneath the freezing house-eaves, I heard the starlings sing—

"Ah, dreary March month, is this then a time for building nest?"

Sad, and to think that the year is but begun."

Late in the autumn, on still and cloudless evenings, Among the golden reed-beds I heard the starlings sing—

"Ah, that sweet March month, when we and our mates were courting,

Sad, sad to think that the year is all but done."

—KINGSLY.

### A THOUGHT FOR TO-DAY.

Never suffer your energies to stagnate—the old adage of too many irons in the fire conveys an abominable error. You cannot have too many—poker, tongs, and all, keep them all a-going—

Dr. Adam Clarke.

## LOOKING FOR WORK.

Experiences of Some of Our Readers Who Have Been Without Jobs.

THE column given over to "Without a Job" should occasion a human interest in the usually found these days of unsympathetic commercial enterprise in popular papers.

There is no greater leveler of humanity (I mean that great part of humanity who have to "earn" for a living) in my opinion, than this particular condition of being "without a job." The man of talent and he who works with his hands alike have to face that cruellest of masters, worry—that worry for those dependent upon them. In my case the advertisements columns are my only hope—and the consequent demoralising idleness, anxious waitings and disappointments eat into one's vitality. I am, however, a hero, and with a sharper keenness could do. When an "answer" comes along one becomes a "hero," and keeps the appointment with a cheerful face, heart eagerly throbbing and hope revived. Papers are all in order, but my "versatility" is against me. Mariner, miner, explorer, clerk, journalist and author, commercial traveller, commercial organiser, speculator on own behalf and aged thirty-five.

Preposterous! Turned down, I wander home again, envious of the "stay at home," who knows nothing beyond his ledgers and monotonous office routine.

The "state" of being "without a job" when accompanied by another "state"—viz., that of being "without a friend"—is certainly an "educating and disciplinary period," but it is also that period when all the philosophy possessed by the "victim" has to be constantly "kept moving."

R. C. C.

SINCE I gave up the calling of a clergyman, nearly three years ago, I know what it means to be without a job. Of all callings that of a clergyman is the worst possible preparation for any other career. I have been a book canvasser, a temporary clerk for a greengrocer, and a butcher's errand boy, besides pestering hard-hearted and unappreciative editors with articles. My training in college was in subjects which now have no commercial value, and my applications for a job, in which past experience must invariably be given, seldom bring me even the hope of an interview. Too often I retire at night, with but "the half of a broken hope for a pillow," and I can testify to the truth of R. W. S.'s statement that being out of a job does test a man's faith and endurance.

I can write, shorthand, type and possess credentials as to character, etc., yet prospective employers to whom I must be frank and explicit, look askance at one whom they evidently consider was a failure as a clergyman and will also fail in business.

R. L. S.

IT is good to read that some people are not depressed when out of work.

My own experience is the opposite. I was in a good spot. I became engaged, and, so as to marry, put money into a motor company formation, and lost my money. Now I have lost my fiancée, through lack of getting work, and what I prized most of all—her love.

Is it to be wondered that I am depressed? S.

### IN MY GARDEN.

MARCH 8.—A garden properly planted should now be quite gay with flowers. Crocuses, in all colours, are at their best and make fine masses of colour on sunny banks. They certainly look prettiest in the grass. Double snowdrops, chionodoxas, blue scillas and many primroses are now greeted everywhere, while the handsome Lenten roses make a splendid show on a shady border.

Then there are the scarlet anemones gleaming in the bright sunshine and broad carpets of pink heather round the sweet-smelling, new-cut lawns. The Violets in frames are very plentiful; they should be relieved of dead leaves and runners and the soil between them must be often stirred.

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not the time, or through ill-health, are unable to share it with them. Children are received up to eight years old, and one recent arrival had only eighteen days' experience of this sphere.—(Daily Mirror photographs.)

## AIRMAN



The "Prince" and the airman.

Mr. Grahame White has been here, and his manners introduced himself to the children, and then presented "the Crown Prince" as Mr. White enjoyed a flight as Mr.



Another hoax. The "Abyssinian" and the H.M.S. Dreadnought.

## ARTIST. AND AFFAIR



Mr. F. P. Earle, the New York artist, who has been kidnapping the children.



# AXED.



"Lord S. Hope."

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as "Lord Stanton Hope,"  
Wurtemberg." The latter  
White's guest.



who were shown over  
mouth in 1910.

# SENTENCED.



"affinity" fame, and Miss  
aced to imprisonment for  
ld Earle.

## WHY DID SEVEN OF THE EXILES FORGET?



Mr. Mann speaking on the platform. There was much speechifying.

At the carriage door.



Mr. Livingstone.

Mr. Crawford.

Mr. Tom Mann left London for South Africa on Saturday to keep the "red flag" flying until the Nine return. He is said to have received the benediction of the deported, though but two—Messrs. Crawford and Living-

stone—went to the station to see him off, and they only arrived as the train was due to leave. The group shows the two who were there and the seven who were not.—(Daily Mirror photographs.)

## FORMER LOVER'S CRIME.



Miss Violet Dash, who was killed by a former lover in a Plumstead street. The man, an Army reservist named Frederick May, committed suicide.

## OPERA SINGER INJURED ON THE STAGE.



Mme. Morena, the opera singer who broke her ankle at Covent Garden, leaving London for Munich, where she is to receive special treatment. Despite her injury, Mme. Morena, it will be remembered, pluckily finished her performance.



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## MAGNET SHOP WINDOWS IN LONDON.

Notes by a Bargain-Hunter on Special Lines Offered During Week.

I have often discussed with globe-trotting women the subject of shop-window dressing, and found a general agreement that in London and other big towns of the United Kingdom more attractive displays than Continental capitals provide are to be found.

Examples of the London talent for window-dressing are to be seen in connection with the white sale at Messrs. John Barker's, Kensington High-street. Few who gaze at the array of snowy lingerie will be able to resist the temptation to go in and buy.

There is a specially advantageous choice in French lingerie offered at 50 per cent. discount. Every garment is a bargain, and there are about 500 Vosges samples that are of really remarkable value. All the newest designs in underwear are represented in complete sets.

A great name for carpets has always been borne by Messrs. James Shoolbred's, Tottenham Court-road, to which address generations of women have wended their way with such purchases in view. A very fine range of British-made Axminster will be offered in Eastern, chintz and tone-on-tone effects, reduced from 5s. 3d. to 3s. 9d. a yard, and at still lower prices. Modern real Persian carpets and antique real Persian rugs may be bought also under very favourable circumstances, in most cases at about half the usual price.

So many women find the inconvenience of early closing on Saturday a drawback to their shopping plans that I am happy to be able to tell them that Messrs. Marshall Roberts, High-street, Camden Town, N.W., are an exception to the usual West End rule. At their leisure women who have not time during the week to make acquaintance with the new corsets that suit the new frocks can do so at this address.

It is quite certain that the silhouette is changing and that our corset purchases will have to be made

with a view to fashion's altering "line." Beauty's Corset corsets at Messrs. Marshall Roberts are adaptable to all fashionable vogues for slight, medium and large figures from 2s. 11d. to 21s.

By leaps and bounds the fascinating fancy jewel department at Messrs. Derry and Toms, Kensington High-street, has been developed, as this week's spring display of all the daintiest Parisian ecceteras, such as hair ornaments, necklaces and earrings, again proves. They are charmingly pretty, and include the pearl and sequin "mad-cap" headress, a new caprice which promises to make a sensation.

By purchasing the whole of the stock of Mr. George Gray, of Swindon, Messrs. G. Cozens and Company, Ltd., of 32, Edgware-road, are able to

## THIS WEEK'S "DAILY MIRROR" DEMONSTRATION.

FRIDAY NEXT—"Children's Fashions: Best Dress for Girls and Young Women." Lecture-demonstration, illustrated by living models. At Messrs. Pontings, High-street, Kensington, W., 3 p.m. Write to-day for reserved seats. Interesting articles on *The Daily Mirror* shopping course, containing valuable advice from experts, will appear during the week.

give their customers an opportunity of replenishing their table and household linen needs at very much reduced sale prices. Cotton sheets in the plain and twill varieties for single beds from 4s. 11d., a pair and for double beds from 6s. 11d., embroidered bed-spreads from 4s. 11d. each, and white taped bed valance at 3s. 11d. a yard are items that should not be overlooked.

The new fashions in sports coats are exhibited in Messrs. Pontings, Kensington High-street, where they are offered in the annual spring sale, which also includes stockings and gloves. This occasion is a celebrated one, for Messrs. Pontings' gloves wear very well, and every pair is guaranteed, though half the usual prices prevail.

## STUDENTS TO PERFORM "FLORODORA."



To-night the students at Clark's College will produce "Florodora" at the Court Theatre. The picture shows some of them in a scene from the piece.

## GIRL IN THE OMNIBUS.

What She Did with the Silver the Ladies Gave Her.

When you see in an omnibus or a tube train some poorly-clad and badly-nourished child, whose face attracts you because of some quality it reflects of intelligence, gentleness, or you feel impelled to drop a small coin into its hand or seek some other way to help it?

Most often, perhaps, you let the impulse pass without doing anything. You dislike the fuss involved in making an offer, and are afraid of pauperising the child and making it a beggar.

And when you do give something you are in doubt whether the child will benefit or some worthless grown-up take the money.

Here is a letter from a grateful little girl that shows what happens sometimes.

"Dear Editor," she writes in a neat little hand, "I should very much like to thank the two kind ladies that so kindly gave me two pieces of silver in the 'bus. Perhaps if you print this it will meet their eyes."

One lady gave me a two-shilling-piece and the other a sixpenny-piece. "I did not know I had a two-shilling-piece until I got out of the 'bus, and what has worried me, I could not thank her enough."

"I thought it was a penny the lady gave me until I looked at it, and then I was so surprised I could not move for a minute."

"I would like the ladies to know what delight they gave me, for my dad had not been doing any work for months."

"I felt so wretched that night. So when I went home my mamma was looking miserable. It seemed they knew how wretched I felt."

"I shall never forget the kindness of the ladies, I was able to have a nice supper."

"Perhaps there are other little girls and boys can follow me in *The Daily Mirror* by telling a few acts of kindness."

## MEN IN WOMEN'S REALM.

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This is not, as might be supposed, an ecstatic tribute to the achievements of some hostess. It is what the women of Chicago are saying of the entertainments given by some of the well-to-do bachelors of that city. Women are being beaten in their own realm, but they enjoy the experience. They find that a man-given entertainment has a gaiety, an informality, an air of adventure about it seldom achieved by one planned by women.

Women invited to a man's dinner in his own house don't find their smartest, most becoming gowns.

Then the homes in which these bachelors entertain have some of the most charming interiors. Even in the matter of rare china and glass for their tables they surpass most of their women guests, and one, an artist-architect, is noted for the excellence of his table linen.

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## HUSH!

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Every muscle in the body needs a supply of rich, red blood in proportion to the work it does. The muscles of the back are under heavy strain and have but little rest. When the blood is thin they lack nourishment, and rebel. The result is a sensation of pain in those muscles.

The best medical authorities agree that backache seldom or never means kidney trouble. Real organic kidney disease may have progressed to a critical point without developing a pain in the back. Doctors detect its presence by the excretions of the kidneys themselves.

Pain in the back should always lead the sufferer to look to the condition of the blood. It will be found in most cases that the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to build up the blood will stop the "grumbling" of the ill-nourished muscles of the back. How much better it is to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for the blood than to give way to unreasonable alarm about your kidneys. If you suspect your kidneys any doctor can make tests in ten minutes that will set your fears at rest or tell you the worst.

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Nylon Blouses, lined Shadow Lace, lined Net, in Ivory, Saxe, Pink, Rose, Navy and Black .. .. .	12/11	6/11
White Embroidered Muslin Blouses, front fastening ..	5/11	3/11
33 French Dressing Gowns, in washing Cotton materials ..	7/11	3/6, 4/11, 5/11
Bust Bodices, in all sizes ..	2/6	1/11
54 Satin Underskirts, in Rose, Green and Mole .. .. .	3/11	2/11
200 pairs Black Cotton Stockings, soft finish, double heels and toes .. .. .	1/6 pair	3 for 3/-
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**BUTTERMILK AND POTATOES FOR OLD AGE.**

Nanny Turner, the lodgekeeper of Cholmondeley Castle, Malpas, Cheshire, celebrated her 101st birthday on Saturday. She was looking very fit and well, and attributed her long life to a diet of buttermilk and potatoes. The picture shows her receiving congratulations from the Marchioness of Cholmondeley.

**FATAL BLOW JUSTIFIED.**

Son Who Went to Sister's Rescue Acquitted of Killing Father.

"I entirely agree with your verdict," said Lord Chief Justice Cherrin when a Monaghan jury on Saturday, after fifteen minutes' deliberation, found Francis King, eighteen, not guilty of killing his father, a Carrickmacross farmer.

The latter, who was addicted to drink, arrived home from an auction violently intoxicated on November 29 last.

After putting his wife out of the house he attacked his nineteen-year-old daughter because she refused to give him money, and after biting a piece from her neck he began to strangle her.

The lad, awakened by his sister's screams, rushed to her assistance and struck his father on the head with a hatchet, compelling him to release the girl.

From complications which ensued the father died a month later.

The girl, in evidence for the defence, said that so long as she remembered her father drank and systematically ill-used the whole family.

On many nights they slept in the barn to escape deceased's violence.

**TWO FROCKS FOR ONE.**

Where one frock served a woman a few years ago two are now needed.

In order to keep pace with the rapid changes of fashion, many women are making their own clothes, or, at least, selecting all their own materials and giving instructions to a dressmaker.

Many women, however, have been handicapped hitherto by the impossibility of securing the requisite information on many of the more simple points in connection with dressmaking, and the introduction of "Home Fashions," the new penny dress paper, with its money-saving mission, will be eagerly acclaimed. This new journal, revealing how more and better clothes may be acquired at reduced expense, will be on sale everywhere to-morrow.

**SISTER-IN-LAW'S SAFE DEPOSIT**

That the first loan was to enable defendant to get her jewels from a place where they had been deposited was stated by Miss Gwendolen Chawner, daughter of Captain Edward Chawner, of Elm Bank, Worcester, before Mr. Justice Atkin on Saturday.

She sued her sister-in-law, Mrs. Maud Chawner, of Maisemore, near Gloucester, to recover the money lent and interest.

Judgment was entered for the plaintiff for £320 and costs.

**ONE TO REPLACE NINE.**

Mr. Tom Mann Leaves for South Africa to Take Up Cause of Deported.

Waving a small mascot red flag, Mr. Tom Mann, the English Syndicalist, left Southampton on Saturday for South Africa to take up the cause of the nine deported labour leaders.

He is travelling as a second class passenger in the Union Castle liner Edinburgh Castle. There was a large crowd at Waterloo Station to bid him farewell, but the nine deported were not present owing to a misunderstanding over the time of the departure. Two of the deported arrived just as the train was leaving.

Cheering at intervals the crowd sang "The Red Flag," and speeches were made by Mr. Victor Grayson, Mr. Ben Tillett, Mr. George Lansbury and others.

Mr. Grayson, amid cheers, said he felt that the sending out of Tom Mann was one of the most important things the Labourists had done in this country, and he hoped before long they would send Tillett and others out.

Tom Mann's mission would be to fight capital, and, added Mr. Grayson, "if they shoot you down you must get ready to shoot them down."

"In saying farewell to Tom Mann, I say farewell with the hope and the knowledge that he will cause more trouble in South Africa than the nine did themselves." (Applause.)

A threat of a general strike was made by Mr. F. Temple, who said the trouble would not be ended until the nine men were back in South Africa. He suggested that on May 4 the whole of the organised workers in the United Kingdom should lay down their tools for twenty-four hours.

"On July 4 we must down tools again and declare a general strike until we have won."

**WANTED TO SEE MONEY FIRST.**

The Maharajah of Gwalior has told Mr. H. D. Baker, the American Consul, who is in India on special commercial service, that when he ordered from America a camera for himself and on another occasion "a merry-go-round" for the entertainment of child visitors to the palace, he received a letter requesting him to "pay in advance."

Mr. Baker mentions a device which attracted the attention of King George when a guest at the palace. This is a miniature electric locomotive and train of silver cars, which conveys the after-dinner coffee, cordials and cigars along a diminutive track laid along the table and stops before each guest.

A grandson of Prince Potemkin, favourite of the Empress Catherine, says a Central News Paris message, is an employee at a cinema theatre at the Taurida Palace, the former residence in St. Petersburg of the Potemkin family.

**HOW TO END ALL STOMACH MISERY.**

SOME GOOD ADVICE BY A PHYSICIAN.

Here in England, where our damp climate compels us to eat heavy foods in order to keep our bodies warm, nearly everyone suffers with some form of stomach trouble. Many people take a little magnesia or Pepsin when their stomach troubles them, and often they find no relief and wonder why. The truth is, said a noted specialist recently, that nine-tenths of the people who have stomach trouble suffer from indigestion and liver trouble, simply because the tired digestive organs are overworked to such an extent that they cannot assimilate or digest the food we eat.

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## THIS MORNING'S NEWS ITEMS.

### Rough on Sunday.

A Bill has been presented by Keir Hardie to secure the closing of barbers' shops on Sundays in Wales and Monmouthshire.

### Cigarette Causes Mine Disaster.

Twenty-four deaths have resulted from a mine explosion in the Slavyanoserbok district (Russia), caused, says Kenter, by a miner who opened his lamp to light a cigarette.

### Pearls Going Begging.

Search is being made by the police for the owner of a necklace of 174 pearls, which a woman, charged recently in connection with the jewels, said she found ten years ago on an omnibus.

### "Affinity" Artist's Sentence.

Sentences of two months' imprisonment on Mr. Earle, the artist, and one month on Miss Charlotte Hermann in connection with the abduction of Harold Earle, were passed on Saturday at Romantin (France).

### Showroom Suicide.

Worried by his inability to resell a large purchase of pictures, Mr. Blakeslee, one of America's chief art dealers, shot himself yesterday in his New York showroom, says the Central News, where there are art treasures worth about £300,000.

## STOCKS AND SHARES.

Markets Weak All Round—Sensational American Movements.

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The Stock markets, like the weather, were in a very depressed state on Saturday. Consols dropped another 3-16 to 74½. Home Rails rallied all round, and there was a fresh rise in Americans. Canadas, Trunks and Mexicans were other weak features, and Brazilian Government bonds celebrated the news of the failure of three small Brazilian railway companies with a further decline. Mining shares also showed a long list of losses on the day.

More spectacular movements than those which occurred in the American market have not been seen for some considerable time past.

The selling was chiefly based on the news that the Inter-State Commerce Commission has brought charges of serious irregularities against the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railroad, it being alleged that its income account for 1910-11 was over-stated in excess of 5,000,000d., and that its equipment and investments in the Puget Sound Railroad Company have been greatly over-valued.

Milwaukee themselves slumped no fewer than seven points to 98½, while losses of two points or more were shown by Chesapeake, Erie Preference, New York Centrals, and Union Pacifics.

Among newspaper prices Amalgamated Ordinary and Preference were again quoted at 5 13-16 and 22s. respectively, while Associated Newspaper Ordinary and Preference remained at 24s. 3d. and 21s. 6d. Fictorial Newspaper Ordinary were firm at 23s., but the Preference fell 3d. to 18s. 6d.

### BLAKE TO MEET GUS PLATTS.

On Saturday Mr. Dick Burge agreed to match Bandman Blake with Gus Platts, the Yorkshire champion, in a twenty rounds contest at the middle-weight limit, Blake conceding Platts odds of £150 to £100 in the side stakes. It is expected that articles will formally be ratified within a few days, and the match will take place in Sheffield next month.

A match between Blake and Pat O'Keefe for the middle-weight championship is also a probability of the near future, as O'Keefe informed *The Daily Mirror* that he was quite ready to accept the Bandman's challenge.

The Langdale light heavy-weight belt, the first of the eight handsome challenge trophies to be put up by the N.S.C., will be brought out to-night at headquarters for competition between Dick Smith, ex-amateur heavy-weight champion, and Denis Haugh, of Tipperary.

At the Ring this evening a real sporting match is on, as the principals being Driver Windbank and Duke Lynch, who are boxing twenty rounds at six 12lb. for £25 a side.

At the Action Bath Dixie Kid will meet Jim Edeon, the Ipswich middle-weight. As Cardiff Fred Dyer, the Welsh champion, and Fred Delaney, of Bradford, meet at 100 9lb.

The annual boxing entertainment of the Federation of Working Men's Social Clubs takes place at the Southwark Baths, Lavington-street, to-night.

### Burglar's Big Haul of Bad Luck.

Bad luck was the chief haul of a burglar who yesterday forced many ground floor windows of a house at Hitchin (Herts) and found all inside doors locked.

### Smokers, Beware!

Smoking, says Mr. R. P. Moncrieff, injures the brain, teeth, lungs and blood, and causes, among other things, amblyopia (blindness), cancer on the lips and lunacy.

### Death Follows Boxing Bout.

Private Samson, of the Royal Marines, who became unconscious after a boxing match at Plymouth with Young Lipps on Saturday evening, died early yesterday morning.

### Death of a Baronet.

Sir Arthur Mackworth, Bart., who served in Egypt with the Royal Engineers in 1882 and was awarded a medal with clasps third class Medjidie, died yesterday at the Priory, Caerleon (Mon.).

### Soldiers at the Polls.

A Bill to facilitate the exercise of the parliamentary franchise by soldiers who in the course of their military duty are removed from one constituency to another has been introduced by Mr. G. Butcher, M.P.

## ARMY RUGBY VICTORY.

The King Sees the Navy Beaten in a Great Match.

The King and Prince Albert were present at Queen's College on Saturday and saw the Army defeat the Navy at "Rugger" by 4 goals and 2 tries to a goal and 3 tries (26 points to 14). The match is always a good one, but that of Saturday was far and away the best ever played, both from the spectacular point of view and that of close football.

The Army started pressing, and after five minutes the Navy had to touch down. H. C. "Dreadnought" Harrison started from the drop out and took a kick at goal. It was straight, but short. Hoyle got away on the left and kicked: Oakley gathered, but he did not kick, but A. L. Harrison failed with the kick. Then the Army forwards took charge. They were too heavy for the Navy, and their own big men were springing cleverly with their feet. Clever dribbling rushed the ball into the Navy twenty-five, and for a cross-kick Huggan scored on the right. H. C. Harrison failed to convert and the score was 3 all after twenty minutes' play.

Five minutes later Usher went over again for the Army and H. C. Harrison converted easily. A little later Huggan made a great run on the right and cross-kicked perfectly: MacLaine took the ball on the run and went over easily between the posts. H. C. Harrison converted again. On his own line one of the Navy backs picked up, but Goward snatched the ball out of his hand, went over and scored. It was just like a football match, the Navy was away from a naughty small boy. H. C. Harrison converted, and at half-time the Army had 18 points to 3.

Two minutes after starting again Woodhouse took a cross-kick from Post splendidly and went over. A. L. Harrison converted. Three minutes later Simon went over for the Navy after brilliant dribbling by the forwards. The kick failed, but with the Navy only five points behind it was still a match. The Army had a bad time for the next few minutes, but their forwards—who were in wonderful training—came again, and Huggan scored again after a fine movement in which Gardner and Scobie took a big part.

With ten minutes to go the Army scored the best try of the day. Feet setting in in the corner after a beautiful movement in which Oakley, Simon and Thomson all manipulated the great ball wonderfully. Three times the Navy looked like scoring again, but tremendous tackling kept them out. In the last moment Huggan made a big run on the right, showing a tremendous burst of pace, and passed to Usher, who ran round and scored between the posts. C. Harrison converted.

The Army were the better side on the day, their forwards being magnificent. For the Navy Oakley was splendid, as usual, and Davies good, but the two could do no more than play like a perfect pair behind a beaten pack.

## INTERNATIONAL HOCKEY.

As expected, England defeated Wales in the annual international hockey match at Weston-super-Mare on Saturday, the score being 6 goals to 2. Early in the game C. H. M. Davies, the Welsh left back, had the misfortune to break a collar-bone. Stocks (three), Goodwin (two) and Saville scored for England and Falloot and Hanley for Wales.

At Dublin Ireland defeated Scotland by 4 to 2 after being a goal behind at the interval.

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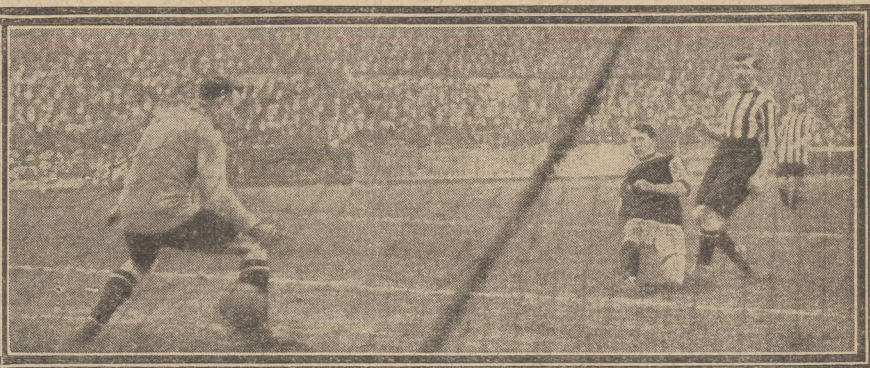
BEGIN IT TO-DAY.



Campbell (Liverpool) runs out to save.



Dawson (Burnley) falls in saving from Buchan.



Burnley find the net. The goal was disallowed.

Liverpool defeated Queen's Park Rangers by two goals to one in the fourth round of the English Cup on Saturday, and the last hope of the South winning the trophy was thus extinguished. The remaining three matches only produced one goal, which was scored

by Aston Villa against Sheffield Wednesday. In the games between Sunderland and Burnley and Manchester City and Sheffield United the defence was too good, and two pointless draws resulted.—(Daily Mirror and Hopwood.)